

Sermon Notes

Providence Community Church

4-5-15 Ken Carlton

Title: BOTH LORD AND CHRIST

Main Text: Acts 2:22-36

Sermon Description: John 12:16 tells us that the messianic prophesies of the Old Testament and the person of Jesus were relatively disconnected ideas in the minds of the apostles until Jesus was glorified. Acts chapter 2 provides a great 'before and after' contrast for us in the very first apostolic sermon preached after the eye opening experience of the promised Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Suddenly, with rabbinic clarity and Holy Ghost boldness, the dots are connected for the first wave of evangelists. The theme of this great gospel declaration prototype is the reality of Jesus as both Lord and Christ. He is Savior/Messiah of the individual, and He is Lord of everything. From the universals to the particulars, Jesus reigns! *Illustration: The artist is equally responsible for the painting and the signature.

Heading: JESUS IS PROVEN BOTH LORD AND CHRIST IN HIS...

1. CRUCIFIXION (Acts 2:17-21, 22-23)

- a. Cross & eternal judgement
- b. "Attested to you"
- c. "Definite plan & you killed Him"

2. RESURRECTION (Acts 2:24-32)

- a. Son of David & Second Adam
- b. Patriarch & prophet
- c. Descendent & fulfillment

3. EXALTATION (Acts 2: 32-36, 37-41)

- a. Ascension & subjugation
- b. Seeing & hearing
- c. Conquering kings, conquering sin

Close: The effect of this juggernaut gospel sermon in Acts is also its application (37-41). These truths cut to the heart – inducing repentance, baptisms, surrender to the name for Christ and realization of the forgiveness of sin. Do you understand and appreciate the resurrection of Jesus Christ? If you do, you will have also repented of your sins, realizing He is both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.

FAMILY WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:
Judgement/salvation	Son of David	Lord of Lords	Crucifixion	Resurrection	Exaltation
Verses:	Verses:	Verses:	Verses:	Verses:	Verses:
Joel 2:18-32	Ps 16:8-11	Ps 110	Acts 2:22-23	Acts 2:24-32	Acts 2:22-41

FURTHER STUDY: see 'Excerpts' posted weekly at providencexcrosslake.com

NEXT WEEK: Psalm 47